Proclamation



DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA SALUTE TO MILITARY VETERANS DAY

NOVEMBER 11, 2014



WHEREAS, November 11 is the anniversary date of the end of World War I, and a time to pay tribute and remember those men and women who fought to preserve the liberties we hold so dear; and

WHEREAS, Veterans Day is intended to thank all veterans for their service and to acknowledge their contributions to our nation:



WHEREAS, the District of Columbia is honored to pay tribute to the fallen, the missing, the wounded, the millions who have served and those awaiting their return, as well as the 37,000 veterans who call the District of Columbia their home; and

WHEREAS, the Department of Veterans Affairs is to be commended for their efforts to help eliminate homelessness among veterans in our city:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, THE MAYOR OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, do hereby proclaim November 11, 2014 as "DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA SALUTE TO MILITARY VETERANS DAY" in Washington, D.C. and call upon all the residents of this great city to join me in honoring our American heroes.

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